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IAS Staff Meeting  
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1. [redacted] reported on the Executive Council Meetings of 1 and 4 October:

a. Mr. Walsh presented [redacted] with a meritorious unit citation for the Latin American Program.

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b. The Watergate trial has opened, and the Agency was presented with a subpoena for several warehouses full of records. An effort is being made to scaledown their requests. General Walters is on the list of witnesses for the trial.

c. Agency personnel have reviewed Mr. Hunt's manuscript, and the author agreed to withdraw three items at the request of the Agency. The publisher also accepted the deletions. The format will not be the same as the Marchetti book.

d. David Suskind is planning to do a show on the Agency, with Marchetti and Seymour Hirsch of the New York Times. The Agency has declined an invitation to furnish a spokesman. The New York Post is planning to do a profile article on the DCI.

e. General Walters will meet with Mr. Harriman to provide him some background information on [redacted]

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f. [redacted] now with DOD, advised Mr. Walsh that Dr. Schlesinger spent considerable time in his morning staff meeting on the question of costing Soviet military expenditures. He apparently intends to launch a full scale re-examination of the question.

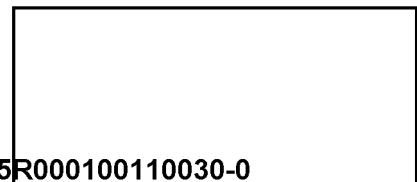
g. Mr. Walsh asked about our IAS planning conference. Mr. Allen reported we had identified more problems than we had solved but that we expect to be moving ahead on [redacted]

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h. Carl Duckett has been awarded the National Civil Service Career Service Award. He is the eleventh CIA officer so awarded.

i. General Walters attended the PFIAB this morning to give the members the Cyprus post mortem. He visited the [redacted] this week.

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j. Mr. Walsh commented on the [REDACTED]

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There was also concern about Ethiopia where troops are marching on the capitol.

l. Items suggested for the USIB meeting next week included the National Sigint Plan and the National Photint Plan. Regarding the latter--it is to work up a plan to produce the plan.

m. Mr. Walsh noted the article in the morning Post concerning the inclusion of Mansfield and Scott to the oversight group of the Armed Service Committee. There is also a proposal to give some access for "overview" versus "oversight" to the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

n. Mr. Walsh called attention to the notice on telephone security and strongly urged that office directors insure that each of their people were cognizant of what was set forth in this notice.

o. Mr. Walsh reported on his visit to [REDACTED] where the complaint was surfaced that rotation was a one-way street. He allowed as how this was true and though [REDACTED] and IAS had been successful in placing people in other organizations, the production offices were remiss in not making an effort to place analysts in these two components. He desires that each production office director look into this toward providing some junior analysts to these services on rotational basis.

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p. Mr. Walsh noted a letter of attribution from Knoche to Eisenbeiss concerning the important inputs CRS has made to an OSR report. Mr. Walsh asked that production offices print attribution on the reports when inputs from the services were significant.

q. Mr. Lehman reviewed the draft review problem concerning NIDs and how DIA submissions were getting short-shrifted in the review process from CIA analysts. He intends to reverse the prevalent attitudes and intends to get more DIA inputs into the NID.

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r. In response to [ ] query regarding the assessment, Mr. Walsh stated he had received Mr. Allen's memorandum and had several comments from the production areas.

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s. Vince Heyman informed [ ] that they are inviting [ ] to the Ops Center Seminar on the 16th of October.

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t. [ ] spoke with [ ] about the progress on clarifying the five CER criteria in the DDI Handbook and he expects some additional information out early next week. If it is not received, the divisions are to use Mr. Allen's criteria.

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2. The CADCOG Team 5 representative is [ ]
3. [ ] will brief the DDO Advanced Ops Course Monday.

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